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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Plans

VIA : Assistant Deputy Director for Plans

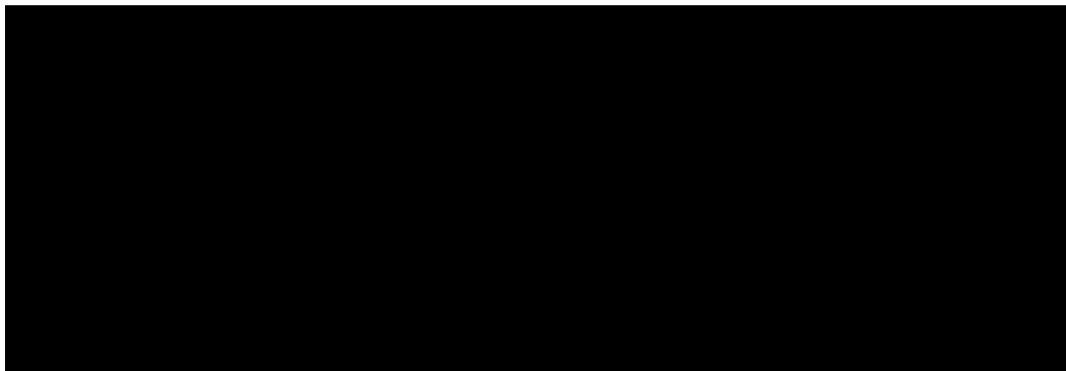
SUBJECT : Technical Services Division R&D
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1. We have just recently completed our fifth R&D Seminar at [REDACTED] and, as in previous years, the operational guidance which we received from the senior Clandestine Service officers present has provided us with significant insight into the current and projected priority needs of the Clandestine Service. The attached briefing material was used as a basis for discussions and the 2-1/2 days spent reviewing it in the context of the projected Clandestine Service requirements and operational environment were indeed useful to all hands present. The results of the Seminar will appear shortly as the revised TSD/D&E Program for FY 1967. They are, in addition, being incorporated into the new planning and programming format for FY 1967. Needless to say, as soon as it is available, we will forward a copy to you.

2. The Seminar highlighted again a number of R&D programs which will continue to need special attention this coming year. These programs will include the following:

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5. Again, TSD wishes to thank you personally for your active endorsement of these Seminars and your personal invitation to the senior officials attending. Their interested and enthusiastic participation contributes directly to the success of these Seminars.

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